

House Resolution No. 297

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State students who have admirably dedicated their lives and energy to assisting others; and

Whereas, Timothy Hottovy of Parkville, Missouri, is a senior at Park Hill South High School in Riverside and one of six top youth volunteers in the state of Missouri to receive an annual Prudential Spirit of Community Distinguished Finalist Award in 2002; and

Whereas, selected on the basis of his establishing "Assisting an Angel", a project to help needy families pay medical bills for their sick children, Timothy Hottovy will receive an engraved bronze medallion in honor of his status as a state Distinguished Finalist; and

Whereas, now in its seventh year, the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards is a nationwide program honoring young people for outstanding acts of volunteerism; and

Whereas, the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards are sponsored by Prudential Financial companies, which offer a variety of insurance, mutual funds, retirement, and other related products and services, and the National Association of Secondary School Principals, the preeminent organization and national voice for middle level and high school principals, assistant principals, and aspiring school leaders; and

Whereas, Timothy Hottovy was nominated for the Prudential Spirit of Community Award by Park Hill South High School as one of a record 28,000 applicants submitted nationwide for this year's competitive program which values such outstanding criteria as personal initiative, creativity, effort, impact, and personal growth:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the selection of Timothy Hottovy as a Missouri Distinguished Finalist by the 2002 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes for continued personal and academic success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Timothy Hottovy of Park Hill South High School in Riverside, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Susan C. Phillips
District No. 32

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 297, adopted February 13, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker